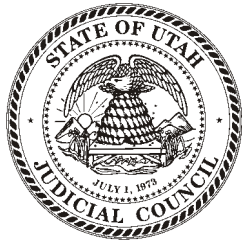


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### **NEW SECOND DISTRICT COURT JUDGE JOHN MORRIS TO TAKE OATH OF OFFICE**

**WHAT:** John R. Morris will take the oath of office to become the newest District Court judge in the Second Judicial District, which includes Davis, Morgan, and Weber counties.

John R. Morris received his law degree magna cum laude from Brigham Young University. Morris also has a bachelor degree in astrophysics from Princeton University and an M.B.A. from B.Y.U. Prior to accepting the appointment to the bench, Morris was a partner with Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. Morris has extensive experience representing business in a variety of domestic and foreign technology, corporate and finance transactions.

**WHEN:** Friday, September 17 at 3:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Matheson Courthouse, 450 South State, Utah Supreme Court

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